IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Group Art Unit: 1652 of Inventor(s) GEORGE P. VALASUK, ET AL. Examiner: MOORE, 498,556 0272487 Atty. Dkt. 018813 Appln. No. Series Code ↑ Serial No. 个 Old M# Client Ref February 4, 2000 Filed: NEMATODE-EXTRACTED SERINE Title: PROTEASE INHIBITORS AND ANTICOAGULANT PROTEIN Date: April 9, 2002 PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR COPENDENCY Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir: Applicant hereby petitions to extend the life of this application to and through at least the above date (today's) so as to copend with a continuing application. The requisite extension fee is enclosed.

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2. The original due date in the subject application was November 9, 2001

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